

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
COUNTY OF *Bowie*

KNOW ALL MEN, THAT I

*Thomas Mahan*

do hereby appoint

*L. H. Pinsky*

my attorney, for me and

in my name to demand, receive and receipt, for all sums of money due me as a

*private*

in Capt.

*John W. Lane's*

company

of Texas

*Mounted Riflemen*

*of Capt. S. Hamilton*

in the regiment commanded by

*Capt. John A. Smith*

*by E. H. Jernum called*

in the service of the late Republic of Texas in the year 1848

and further to receive and receipt for all claims which I may have against the State of Texas, and to have the same audited and paid, and to do all acts in relation to any claim which I may have against the State of Texas, in as perfect and full a manner as I could do if present. I do hereby ratify and confirm all the acts of my said attorney done in accordance with the premises, and this power of attorney, for value received, is irrevocable.

Witness, my hand and seal, a scroll used as a seal, this

*fifth*

day of

*March*

Eighteen hundred and fifty

*one*

*Thomas Mahan*



Acknowledged and subscribed before me

*J. H. Smith clerk of the*

*County Court*

for the county of

*Bowie*

and State of Texas; witness

my hand and seal of office, this

*Fifth*

day of

*March*

Eighteen

hundred and Fifty

*one*

*J. H. Smith clerk*  
*Sept 3, 1850*

